



**CITY OF CONCORD**  
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**Fire Department**

Sean W. Brown  
Fire Chief

REPORT TO MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL

**FROM:** Sean W. Brown, Fire Chief  
**DATE:** January 28, 2022  
**SUBJECT:** Report from the Fire Chief on Swiftwater Rescue Equipment Grant

**Recommendation**

The Fire Department requests that the Council accept this report requesting to apply for the Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) swiftwater rescue equipment grant.

**Background**

The Concord Fire Department is identified as one of six swiftwater rescue capable organizations available for deployment in the State of New Hampshire. The HSGP has made \$10,000 available for each of the six swiftwater rescue capable organizations.

**Discussion**

These funds will allow the Fire Department to purchase swiftwater rescue equipment that can be utilized for water rescue operations in Concord or other areas that may experience water rescue emergencies.